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MEAT Livestock & Grain Market News
Des Moines, IA
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Week Ending 30-May-97

Beef	IMPS#	Description	Wts	Lds	Avg	Change
Boxed Beef Cuts, Select 1-3						
	113A	Chuck, 2-pc	72-119 Lbs	4.5	78.67	-2.74
	115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80 Lbs	82.5	90.08	-1.85
	120	Brisket	6-14 Lbs	63.0	86.84	0.88
	123A	Short Rib	1-4 Lbs			
	126	Chuck, 3-way	60-102 Lbs			
	160	Round, Bn-in	50-85 Lbs	14.5	97.03	-1.30
	161	Round, Bnls	42-80 Lbs	33.0	106.89	-1.26
	168	Inside Round	14-26 Lbs	50.5	120.93	-1.28
	170	Gooseneck Round	18-33 Lbs	17.0	92.12	-1.57
		Coarse ground Blend 80%		4.5	91.56	4.56
		Coarse ground Blend 85%		11.0	102.16	2.07
Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items						
		Boneless Chuck 85%			104.00	1.20
		Top Inside Round 12-16 Lbs			134.00	2.00
Boneless Processing Beef/Beef Trimmings, Fresh						
		90% Chemical Lean		38.0	91.11	-3.94
		50% Chemical Lean		140.0	40.53	-1.46
Pork						
		Pork Loins, Regular, Fresh 1/4" Trim				
		14-18 Lbs	73.5	116.40	-8.77	
		Boston Butt, 4-8 Lbs	34.0	73.26	-7.19	
		Spareribs, Fresh 1.5-3.5 Lbs	6.0	134.08	-13.58	
		Ham, Skinned Selected, Fresh				
		17-20 Lbs	27.0	67.00	0.74	
		20-26 Lbs	94.0	63.71	0.14	
		Belly, Sdls Skin-on, Fresh				
		14-16 Lbs	22.5	86.91	-0.39	
		16-18 Lbs	12.5	87.52	3.89	
		Boneless Picnic Meat, Fresh				
		72% Chemical Lean	12.0	69.71	-3.09	

Dollars per Hundredweight - Equated to FOB Omaha Basis



DAIRY Dairy Market News
Madison, WI
608 224-5080

Week Ending 30-May-97

Butter			
Chicago Mercantile Exchange, Dollars per Lb, Carlot unit = 40,000 Lbs			
	Grade	Price Change	Price Level
	AA	+.0800	1.1300
	A	+.0700	1.0500
Cheddar Cheese			
National Cheese Exchange, Dollars per Lb, Carlot unit about 40,000 Lbs			
	Style	Price Change	Price Level
	500# Barrels	-.0100	1.1275
	40# Blocks	None	1.1650

Fluid Milk = Basic Formula Price - 05-Apr-97

Prices Received by Farmers, FOB Processing Plant, \$/Cwt, April			
Price Level	Change from Prv/Month	Change from Prv/Year	
11.44	-1.05	-1.65	



POULTRY & EGGS

Poultry Market News
Des Moines, IA
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Week Ending 30-May-97

Broilers/Fryers

Whole Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound, Delivered
New York 57.97 Chicago 52.35 Los Angeles 65.49

Parts Bulk

Ready-to-cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound
Northeast (Delivered) Breasts 180.71 Leg Quarters 32.04
Southern States (FOB) Breasts 174.97 Leg Quarters 28.29

Young Turkeys

Grade A, Ready-to-cook, Frozen, Per Lb, Delivered
Hens 8-16 Lbs Toms 16-22 Lbs
Eastern 68.00 68.00
Central 67.38 66.00
Western 67.25 66.00

Table Eggs

Large, USDA Grade A, White, in Cartons, in Volume, Per Dozen, Delivered
Northeast 71.25 Metropolitan Areas
Southern 69.66 New York 69.00-72.00
Midwest 63.58 Chicago 60.00-65.00
Western 78.01 So. California 72.00-79.00

Egg Products

Liquid, Non-pasteurized, Trucklot Volume, FOB, Per Pound
Whole 35.50-39.50 Whites 25.25-27.00 Yolks 68.00-70.00
Frozen, 30 Lb Containers, Wholesale per Lb
Whole Eggs Whites
Eastern (Less than Trucklot) 54.00-62.00 42.00-52.00
Central 51.00-54.00 38.00-41.00
So. Calif. (Less than Trucklot) 57.00-60.00 43.00-46.00
Dried, Wholesale Prices, Dollars Per Pound, In Containers
Whole 1.77-1.95 Yolks 1.72-1.95 Blends 1.32-1.45



FRUIT & VEGETABLE

Fruit & Vegetable Market News
Washington, DC
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Week Ending 30-May-97

FRUITS

Apples, Golden Delicious, WA ExFancy, Controlled Atmosphere Storage, 100S Containers TrayPack, Yakima Valley & Wenatchee District WA 14.50
Cantaloups, 12S, 1/2 Containers, Imperial & Coachella Valley, California & Western Arizona 6.50
Pears, US One, D'anjou, Controlled Atmosphere Storage Std Ctns
Wrapped, 100S Yakima Valley & Wenatchee District, WA 20.00
Strawberries, Medium-Large, Flats 12 1-pt baskets, Central Coast, CA 6.35

VEGETABLES

Broccoli, Bunched, Containers, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 5.30
Cabbage, Round Green Type, Medium-Large 1 3/4 Bu Crts & 50 lb Ctns, South Georgia
Carrots, Medium-Large Sks 48 1-lb filmbags, Kern District CA 6.00
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24S, Containers, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 5.30
Onions, Yellow, US One Jumbo 50 lb Sks, Imperial Valley, CA 7.00
Peppers, Bell Type Green, Large 1 1/9 Bu Containers/Cartons, North, Central & South Florida 10.12
Potatoes, Russet Burbank, US One 2" or 4-oz Min, 70S Cartons per Cwt, Upper Valley, Twin Falls-Burley District Idaho 10.75
Tomatoes, Mature Greens, 85% US One or Better, Large 25 Lb Containers Central Florida 10.00

Simple Average of Daily Prices of Grades on Stock of Generally Good Merchantable Quality and Condition. Prices FOB Shipping Point Basis. Dollars per Unit